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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Board of Public Utilities Two Gateway Center Newark, NJ 07102 www.nj.gov/bpu/

ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NEW

JERSEY LARGE ENERGY USERS COALITION

FOR A GENERIC PROCEEDING TO CONSIDER

MITIGATING THE IMPACT OF UTILITY

SURCHARGES ON LARGE COMMERCIAL AND

INDUSTRIAL CONSUMERS FOR PROGRAMS

AUTHORIZED PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OF

THE REGIONAL GREENHOUSE GAS INITIATIVE

LAW N.J.S.A. 48:3-98.1 ET. SEQ.

ORDER DESIGNATING PRESIDING COMMISSIONER

DOCKET NO. E009100883

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

By Order dated January 27, 2010, the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") initiated a generic proceeding based upon a petition filed by the New Jersey Large Energy Users Coalition ("NJLEUC"). That Order directed Board Staff to convene all interested parties to determine a procedural framework for the generic proceeding to evaluate potential alternative recovery mechanisms for large commercial and industrial (C&I) electric and gas utility consumers subject to surcharges resulting from programs established under Section 13 of the Regional Greenhouse Gas Law, N.J.S.A.48:3-98.1 et seq.

The Board also determined to retain this matter for hearing, and indicated that a Presiding Commissioner would be designated at a later date.

Consistent with the Board's Order, the Board <u>HEREBY DESIGNATES</u> Commissioner Jeanne M. Fox as the presiding officer who is authorized to preside over evidentiary hearings scheduled in this proceeding, modify the procedural schedule, decide upon motions, and otherwise control the conduct of this case, without the need for full Board approval, subject to subsequent Board ratification.

DATED: 2/11/10

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES BY:

ELIZABETH RANDALL ACTING PRESIDENT

FREDERICK F/BUTLER

COMMISSIONER

JØSEPH L. FIORDALISO

COMMISSIONER

JEANNE M. FOX COMMISSIONER

NICHOLAS ASSELTA COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

KRISTI IZZO

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within document is a true copy of the original in the files of the Board of Public

Utilities